

REMARKS

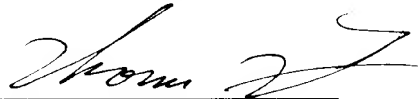
Claims 4-5, 7-8, 11-14, 16, 18, 19, 22, and 24-25 are pending in this application. Claims 6 and 15 are objected to. Claims 1-3, 6, 9-10, 15, 17, 20-21, 23, and 26-30 have been cancelled.

The objection to Claims 6 and 15 is respectfully traversed. Claims 6 and 15 have been canceled.

For the reasons set forth above, Applicant respectfully requests that the objection to Claims 6 and 15 be withdrawn.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, all the claims now active in this application are believed to be in condition for allowance. Reconsideration and favorable action is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully Submitted,



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